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Mr JENNINGS' BOOK

The chapter on full names is now complete and will be going out with this issue to those members who have requested to be on the distribution list. The price for this chapter is 2/- (28¢) which again allows a small profit for the Society's funds. Would members please remit on receipt unless a card is enclosed showing that they have a credit remaining?

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AUCTION

Due to illness Chris Carr has been unable to prepare the catalogue for our next auction and we are unable to publish it this month as intended. We hope to be able to do so next month.

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14.4 "O" and 16.1-16.3 "R" of the Council Listing - 2 sheets.  
1 page of general interest.

<u>1936</u>			<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>
600	40pf.	bright blue	C	C	D	D	E	F
601	6pf.	green	A	A	B	B	B	C
602	12pf.	lake	A	A	B	B	B	C
603	50pf.	blue	F	E	E	F	F	H
604	75pf.	green	F	F	G	H	H	J
605	6pf.	green	A	A	B	B	B	C
614	3pf.	deep brown	A	A	B	B	B	C
615	5pf.	green	A	A	B	B	B	C
616	12pf.	lake	A	A	B	B	B	C
617	25pf.	deep blue	C	C	D	D	E	F
619	6pf.	green	B	B	C	C	C	D
620	15pf.	claret	C	C	D	D	F	E
621	6pf.	green	B	B	C	C	C	D
622	12pf.	scarlet	B	B	C	C	C	D
<u>1937</u>								
632	3pf.	brown	B	B	C	C	D	D
633	6pf.	green	B	B	C	C	D	D
634	12pf.	bright rose	B	B	C	C	D	D
650	6pf.	green	C	C	D	D	E	F
651	6pf.	green	E	E	E	F	F	G
<u>1938</u>								
653	3pf.	brown	B	B	C	C	D	D
654	6pf.	green	B	B	C	C	D	D
655	12pf.	rose-red	B	B	C	C	D	D
656	15pf.	brown lake	F	E	F	F	H	H
657	25pf.	green	C	C	D	D	E	E
658	50pf.	green	F	F	H	H	J	J
663	3+2pf.	brown	B	B				
664	4+3pf.	slate-blue	B	C				
665	5+3pf.	emerald-green	C	D				
666	6+4pf.	green	A	B				
667	8+4pf.	red	E	F				
668	12+6pf.	lake	B	C				
669	15+10pf.	claret	H	J				
670	25+15pf.	blue	K	M				
671	40+35pf.	magenta	P	U				
<u>1939</u>								
677	6pf.	blue-green	F	E	E	F	F	G
678	12pf.	carmine	F	E	E	F	F	G
<u>1941</u>								
769	1pf.	grey	A	A	A			
770	3pf.	yellow-brown	A	A	A			

			<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>
771	4pf.	slate	A	A	A			
772	5pf.	yellow-green	A	A	A			
773	6pf.	violet	A	B	B			
774	8pf.	scarlet	A	B	B			
777	10pf.	brown	A	B	B			
778	12pf.	carmine	B	B	C			
779	15pf.	brown-lake	B	C	C			
780	16pf.	turquoise-green	B	C	C			
781	20pf.	blue	A	B	B			
782	24pf.	orange-brown	B	C	C			
783	25pf.	ultramarine	C	C	D			
784	30pf.	olive-green	C	D	E			
785	40pf.	magenta	E	E	F			
786	50pf.	myrtle-green	E	F	H			
787	60pf.	red-brown	E	F	H			
788	80pf.	indigo	F	H	J			
799	1rm.	blackish green	E	F	H			
800	2rm.	violet	G	H	I			
 <u>1942</u>								
775	10pf.	brown	A	B	B			
776	12pf.	carmine	A	B	B			

#### SECOND PERIOD OF USE

After World War II, in 1945, and when Germany was divided into four zones of Allied Occupation, the original perforating machines were brought into use again at four Police Headquarters. These "POL" perfins fall, most conveniently, into examples from the three distinctive groups, and so there should be no difficulty in recognising each of them even when the perforation has been made on the same stamp issues by Police of three different areas.

The Headquarters are as follows:

POL 12 10 8 used at HALLE/SALLE, in the Russian Zone, first on some stamps of the Provincial Administration of Saxony (S.G. RC1 - RC12), then on the general issues of the Anglo-American Zones (S.G. 899-924 and 930-964, 951 and 952). After this the S.G. 930 series with the overprints "20 Halle or "Sowjetische/Besatzungs/Zone" were "POL" perforated (S.G. RZ1 - RZ16), followed by stamps of the Berlin Russian Zone, issue RZ22 - 29, and the Russian Zone stamps RZ32 - RZ49. When the Russian Zone became the German Democratic Republic (East Germany) on Oct.7th 1949, a few of the DDR stamps re-

ceived the "POL" perforation (RZ62-63, RZ70-72 and RZ18. The period of use was from 1945 to 1950

POL 13,13,? used at FRANKFURT/MAIN in the U.S. Zone on stamps of the S.G, series 899 - 952. Period of use was from 1946 to 1948.

POL 11,8,8 used at ESSEN in the British Zone, first on the stamps of the Anglo-American Military Government issue, next on the S.G.899 - 924 issue, and then on the "Buildings" issue of 1948 - 51. Later as at Oberhausen. The period of use was from 1945 to 1956.

POL 12 10 8 used at OBERHAUSEN in the British Zone, on the West German stamps of the "Posthorn" series (S.G. 1045-59) then on the President Heuss series (S.G. 1103-19), and on various commemorative issues up to those of 1956. The period of use was from 1948 to 1959.

In the list that follows it seems more convenient to put the comparative ratings of the Halle, Frankfurt and Essen POL perfins together on the S.G. 899-924, and 930-946 issues rather than to repeat the issues three times by keeping them in the Headquarters lists.

#### NOTE

In the next list I have arranged the parfins used at HALLE under columns numberad 1, 2 and 3. Under 1 the stamps are as listed in Stanley Gibbons. Under 2 the stamps are the same, but with the overprint "20HALLE" which Stanley Gibbons does not list. Under 3, the same stamps are again overprinted, this time with. "SOWJETISCHE/BESATZUNGS/ZONE", which Stanley Gibbons lists under the Russian Zone, General Issues R Z 1 etc. These numbers are given in brackets.

			<u>HALLE</u>			<u>FRANKFURT</u>
			<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	
930	2pf.	brown black	B	E	(RZ 1) E	A
931	6pf.	violet	A	G	(RZ 2) B	A
932	8pf.	vermilion	A	H	(RZ 3) B	A
933	10pf.	yellow-green	B	J	(RZ 4) C	B
934	12pf.	grey	A	J	(RZ 5) B	A
935	15pf.	chocolate	C	O	(RZ 6) C	C
936	16pf.	blue-green	C	J	(RZ 7) C	C
937	20pf.	light blue	D	K	(RZ 8) C	C
938	24pf.	brown	B	H	(RZ 9) B	A

1	C ++	51	C/B (102)	101	CB/WH ++
2	C/..	52	CB/B	102	C./B. (51)
3		53	C.B/B	103	CB/PR (90)
4		54	C.B.B.T	104	
5		55	CBC ++	105	
6	CA ++	56	CB/C ++	106	
7	C.A.	57	C.B/C	107	
8	C&A ++	58	C/BC	108	
9	C/A	59	CB/&C	109	
10	CA/B	60	C.B/&/C	110	
11	C.A.C	61	CB/CB	111	CC ++
12	C.A.C/M.	62	CBCo	112	CC (Monogram)
13	CA/&Co	63	CB/Co	113	C.C ++
14	C&A/D	64	C.B/Co	114	C.C. ++
15	C.A.E.S	65	CB/&Co ++	115	C&C ++
16	CA/G ++	66	C.B/&Co	116	C/C
17	C.A/G	67	C/B&Co	117	C/&C
18	C&A/G	68	CB/&/Co	118	C.C.A
19	CA/HMC	69	CB/&/CoLd	119	CC/A
20	CAINE	70	C.B/&/CoLd	120	C.C./B.
21	C&J	71	C.B.E	121	CC/BC
22	CAL/INS	72	C.B/E.C	122	CCB/&Co
23	CAL/Ltd	73	CB/ES	123	CCC ++
24	CAM	74	C.B.F	124	C.C.C
25	CAM/RYS	75	CBG	125	CC/C
26	CAN/J (39)	76	CB/G	126	CC ++
27	C/AN/S ++	77	C.B/GAS	127	C/C/C
28	CARR (Diagonal)	78	C.B.I	128	CC/Co
29	CARTER ( " )	79	CB/I	129	CC/&Co ++
30	CAR/TER	80	CB/J	130	CC/CoLd
31	CA/&S ++	81	C.B.L	131	C.C/CoLd
32	CASH/&Co	82	CB/L	132	CCD/Co
33	C.A.&S/Ld.	83	C.B/L	133	CC/FS
34	CA/T	84	C&B/L	134	C.C/F.S
35	CAV	85	CB/Ltd ++	135	CC/H
36	C.A.V	86	CB/Ld.	136	CC/I
37	CAVE	87	C.B/Ld ++	137	CC/K
38	C.A./W.	88	CB/LM	138	CC/L ++
39	CANNON (26)	89	C.B/Ltd	139	C&C/L
40		90	CB/N (103)	140	C&/C.L
41		91	C/B.R.P	141	CC/Ld
42		92	CB/S	142	C&C/Ld
43		93	C.B/S	143	C&C/Ld.
44		94	CB/&S ++	144	CC/L/SS
45		95	CBS/CR	145	C.C/Ltd
46	CB ++	96	C&B/SOHO ++	146	C&C/Ltd
47	C.B ++	97	CB/T	147	CC/M
48	C.B. ++	98	CB/T/&Co	148	C&C/M
49	CB (Monogram)	99	CB/W	149	C.C.N
50	C&B ++	100	CB/WD	150	C.C/N

1.1	C	7	4½		1. Charringtons Ltd, London 2. Charrington, Gardner, Locket (London) Ltd 3. V.L. Churchill & Co Ltd. London S.E.11 4. Curry's Ltd.
1.6	C	10	5½		Convoy's Ltd. London SW 6.
1.20	C	10	10		Joseph Crossfield & Sons Ltd Warrington.
2	C/..	6/2	7 overall		Chris. J.T.Carr, Erith, Kent
6.3	CA	7,8	4½		Church Army, London W.1
6.6	CA	7,8	5,5½		Crown Agents
8.1	C&A	7,12,8	4½ (Ia)		C & A Modes Ltd. Leceister
13	CA/&Co	8,10/11,8,6	4½(IIIa)		Charles C. Arnall & Co London E.C.3
16.1	CA/G	8,10/10	4½	)	Central Agency,
16.2	CA/G	8,10/10	5½	)	Glasgow.
16.3	CA/G	9,10/10	5½	)	
19	CA/HMC	7,8/10,11,7	4½		Cromer Area Hosp. Mang. Committee.
22	CAL/INS	9,10,7/5,14,12	5½	Ø	Caledonian Insurance Co.
25.1	CAM/RYS	8,10,15/12,8,10	4½	)	Cambrian Railways.
25.2	CAM/RYS	8,10,15/12,8,10	5	)	
39	CANNON	8,10,13,13,10,13	4½		The 'Cannon' Holloware Co. Ltd. Bilston, Staffs.
27.1	C/AN/S	10/15,20/14,	3½/8/3½	)	Army & Navy Co-ogervative
27.2	C/AN/S	8/10,13/9	4/8/4	)	Society Ltd.
27.3	C/AN/S	10/15,20/11	3½/7½/3½	)	(from May 1934 known as Army & Navy Stores Ltd)
28	CARR	7,8,10,10	4½		Carr & Co Ltd, Carlisle.
30.1	CAR/TER	7,8,10/6,9,10	4½/4	)	Carters Tested Seeds Ltd,
30.1	CAR/TER	7,8,10/6,9,10	4½	)	London S.W.20.
32	CASH/&Co	8,10,11,11/12,8,10	5½	Ø	Cash & Co Ltd, Cork.
46.1	CB	7,11	4½	)	
46.12	CB	10,14	6½	)	City of Birmingham.
47.4	C.B	8,13	5½		The Colonial Bank, London.
49	CB Monogram				City of Birmingham.
50.2	C&B	7,12,11	4½ (Ia)	)	Crosse & Blackwell Ltd,
50.4	C&B	8,14,14	4½ (I)	)	London W.1
52.1	CB/B	7,11/11	4½		County Borough of Bourne mouth.

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53.1	C.B/B	8,13/13	5	)	Cadbury Bros. Ltd,
53.2	C.B/B	8,14/14	5	)	Bournville, Birmingham 30
55.1	CBC	7,11,7	4½		Campbell, Badnell, Carter & Co Ltd. London E.C.3
55.2	CBC	7,12,8	5½		Cambridge Borough Council.
56.1	CB/C	7,11/7	4½		Chelsea Borough Council, London.
58	C/BC	7/11,7	4½		1.County Borough of Chester 2.Cambridge Borough Council. 3.Castleford Borough Council, Yorkshire.
77	CB/GAS	8,15/10,10,10	5½/4½		City of B'gham Gas Department.
78	C.B.I	9,14,5	5½		Chartered Bank of India, Australia & China.
82	CB/L	7,8/5	2½		Chloride Batteries Ltd, Swinton.
103	CB/PR	8,14/10,12	5		Cork, Blackrock & Passage Railway.
95	CBS/CR	8,14,10/8,12	5		Cork, Bandon & South Coast Railway.
96.1	C&B/SOHO	8,14,15/10,10,12,10	4 (I)	)	Crosse and Blackwell
96.2	C&B/SOHO	8,12,13/10,10,12,10	4½(IIIa)	)	Ltd,
96.2	C&B/SOHO	8,14,14/10,10,12,10	5(I)	)	London W.1
99	CB/W	7,11/12	4½		1. County Borough of Wigan. 2. County Borough of Walsall.
100.1	CB/WD	7,11/12,9	4½		City of B'gham Water Dept.
101.1	CB/WH	7,11/12,10	4½		County Borough of West Hartlepool.
101.2	CB/WH	8,14/13,12	5	)	County Borough of West Ham,
101.4	CB/WH	8,12/17,11	5	)	London E.15
111.1	CC	7,7	4½		1.Cruelty to Children. 2.British Empire Cancer Campaign 3.Cheshire Constabulary 4.Copestake, Crampton & Co Ltd London W.1 5.Clarkes College, London. Cardiff City, Canterbury, Cheltenham, Coventry, City of Chesterfield Crewe, Croydon (Surrey), Crosby (Liverpool).

This Perfin has also been used by numeroud Corporations as shown:-

IC/C2.

14.4 OXFORD (C) OXFORDSHIRE

The City of Oxford did not exist as a town until the 9th century and first appears in history when Edward the Elder, in AD 912, "held Lundenbyrg (LONDON) and Oxnaford and all the lands that were pertaining thereto".

Legend has it that Oxford University has its origins connected with King Mempeic (1009 BC) and the Druids, but authentic history appears to begin about 1133.

Perfin:           OC           H           12,9           (6½)

Perfins are produced for the Corporation by a private printing firm in the City.

16.1 READING (CB) BERKSHIRE

The history of Reading appears to have begun with the Danes camping there in 871, although at the time of the Domesday survey no more than 30 houses were situated there.

The first charter granted to Reading was in 1253 by Henry III and Charles I incorporated the town as a borough in 1639.

Although numerous industries are contained within the Borough, Reading is most known for biscuits (Huntley and Palmer) and the nurseries of Sutton and Sons.

Perfin:           RC           H           10,7           (4½)

The earliest data on existing records for the use of perfins by this Authority is 1932, but it is believed that they were in use for many years prior to that date.

Perfins were supplied by Slopers until their use ceased at the end of 1965.

16.2 REDBRIDGE (B) LONDON

This Borough was formed on\_ April 1st 1965 from Chigwell (southern part), Dagenham (northern part), Ilford, and Wanstead and Woodford.

See under separate headings for historical notes on the district.

Perfin:           LB/R           2H           6,11/10       (4½)

Stamps perforated with the above die have been supplied by Slopers since April 1965.

16.3 REDDITCH (UDC)\_WORCESTERSHIRE

The Urban District with a population of just over 29,000 is largely connected with light engineering, manufacturing such products as springs, fishhooks, and needles. There is also a large motorcyclc works in the town.

Perfin:           RU/DC           2H           10,8/9,7     (4½)

Although indistinguishable from the current Sloper style of perfin it is claimed that perfins are not obtained from Slopers.

The date of introduction is not known but values in use are, 1d, 2d, 2½d, 3d, 4d, 4½d, 5d, 6d, & 1/-.